

DISCIPLINARY ACTION REPORT

NASHVILLE, Tenn. -- Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-114 requires the Tennessee Department of Health to issue a monthly media release listing all disciplinary actions taken by the health-related boards during the prior month. Below is a list of actions taken in **OCTOBER 2021**. Detailed information about disciplinary actions is available on our website at <https://apps.health.tn.gov/Licensure/default.aspx>. Enter the name of the person. When the license information comes up, click either "disciplinary action" or "adverse licensure action" in the right column.

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

Licensee: Beth P. Brown, CXT, Troy
Violation: Immoral, unethical, unprofessional, or dishonorable conduct.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalties totaling \$800

Licensee: Kacey B. Charles, D.C. Church Hill
Violation: Immoral, unethical, unprofessional, or dishonorable conduct.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalties totaling \$10,000, plus costs not to exceed \$500.00

Licensee: Kevin D. Malone, D.C. Smithville
Violation: Immoral, unethical, unprofessional, or dishonorable conduct.
Action: License placed on probation; must provide proof of 2 continuing education credits, plus costs not to exceed \$250.00

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Licensee: Hannah L. Beachy, RDA, Summertown
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Mercedes A. Case, RDA, Nashville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: David H. Childers, DDS, Oak Ridge
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification and assessed civil penalty of \$600.00.

Licensee: Miranda S. Clark, RDA, Nashville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of twenty-four continuing education hours, with two hours on the topic of chemical dependency, current

CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle, and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Jacquelyn N. Crutcher, RDA, Dover
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of sixteen continuing education hours, with two hours on the topic of chemical dependency, current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle, and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Meghan M. Dagley, RDA, Wartburg
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$600.00.

Licensee: Ashley C. Fusner, RDH, Thompsons Station, Tennessee
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of one continuing education hour on the topic of chemical dependency for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.

Licensee: Sherry A. Holbrooks, RDA, Rock Island
Violation: Failure to timely renew license and practiced dental assisting on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$100.00

Licensee: Karen Humphrey-Bone, RDH, Smyrna
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of seventeen continuing education hours with two hours on the topic of chemical dependency for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.

Licensee: Jennifer E. Johnson, DDS, Hendersonville
Violation: Unprofessional, unethical, or dishonorable conduct through the closure or sale of practice without notifying patients or providing records to new owners; and guilty of abandonment of records.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$1,000, plus costs not to exceed \$3,000

Licensee: Katherine J. Kraus, RDA, Brentwood
Violation: Failure to timely renew license and practiced dental assisting on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$100.00

Licensee: Leandra J. Lakin, RDA, Knoxville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of thirteen continuing education hours with two hours on the topic of chemical dependency for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Kashaundra M. Lindley, RDH, Memphis

- Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.
- Licensee: Nadia S. Marandi, RDH, Chattanooga
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of three continuing education hours plus four hours of non-web based continuing education for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.
- Licensee: Buckie D. Parsons, DDS, Livingston
Violation: Unprofessional, unethical, or dishonorable conduct; failure to properly maintain patient dental records.
Action: License placed on probation for 2 years; must successfully complete 10 continuing education hours on dental record keeping plus 15 continuing education hours in endodontics and complete coursework on Prescribing Controlled Drugs from Vanderbilt University Medical Center within six months. Restricted from prescribing opioids for six months and until successful completion of required education courses. After six month prescribing restriction has passed, must obtain practice monitoring through Affiliated Monitors for a period of at least two years. Assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$5,000, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.
- Licensee: Evelyn Perez, RDA, Memphis
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of twenty-four continuing education hours, with two hours on the topic of chemical dependency, current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle, and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.
- Licensee: Donna L. Pickard, RDH, La Vergne
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.
- Licensee: Debra L. Sampson, RDA, McMinnville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of two continuing education hours on the topic of chemical dependency and proof of completion of current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.
- Licensee: Whitney L. Sewell, RDA, Cleveland
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of two continuing education hours on the topic of chemical dependency and proof of completion of current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.
- Licensee: Alisha R. Sneed, RDA, Dayton, Tennessee
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of twenty continuing education hours with two hours on the topic of chemical dependency and proof of completion of current

CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Kristin N. Stowers; RDH, Johnson City
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of completion of current CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.

Licensee: Michelle L. Thom, RDA, Morristown
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of five continuing education hours and proof of completion of non-online CPR certification for the 2017-2018 audit cycle; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Melissa A. Walsh, RDA, Hampton
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of two continuing education hours on the topic of chemical dependency for the 2019-2020 audit cycle; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Courtney B. Williams, RDH, Oakland
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of one continuing education hour on the topic of chemical dependency for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$300.00.

Licensee: April L. Wood, RDA, Smyrna
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Agreed Citation; provide proof of one continuing education hour for the 2017-2018 audit cycle and assessed civil penalty of \$150.00.

Licensee: Jennifer E. Johnson, DDS, Hendersonville
 Violation: Unprofessional, unethical, or dishonorable conduct through the closure or sale of practice without notifying patients or providing records to new owners; and guilty of abandonment of records.
 Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$1,000, plus costs not to exceed \$3,000

BOARD OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

Licensee: Robert Belfield, EMR, Wartrace
 Violation: Failed to pay child support
 Action: License suspended

Licensee: Richard Forth, EMR, McMinnville
 Violation: Failed to pay child support
 Action: License suspended

Licensee: Demarcus Gaines, AEMT, Memphis
 Violation: Failed to pay child support

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Michael Gibson, AEMT, Huntingdon
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Pierre Hibbler, AEMT, Memphis
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kevin Humphrey, PACC, Knoxville
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kenneth Mason, EMT, Knoxville
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Aaron Pierson, AEMT, Kingsport
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Brandy Pilcher, AEMT, Ripley
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Joshua Sharpe, Paramedic, Knoxville
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Torian Thomas, AEMT, Memphis
Violation: Failed to pay child support
Action: License suspended

BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Licensee: Jasmine C. Cozine, OTA, Colorado Springs, CO
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed citation; assessed \$100 in civil penalties and twelve (12) continuing education hours

**Delayed reporting from April 2019

BOARD OF PHARMACY

Licensee: Broadway and Main, Pharmacy, Newport
Violation: Failed to conduct an initial opening inventory count as the Pharmacist in charge as required by the Drug Enforcement Agency; served as the Pharmacist in charge without obtaining a waiver from the Board to serve as Pharmacist in charge at two separate pharmacy practice sites at the same time; and failed to

- immediately notify the Board of the termination of business at one of the two pharmacies.
- Action: License placed on probation for a period of two (2) years; assessed civil penalty in the amount of \$2,700 plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.
- Licensee: Lowell B. Grizzle, D. Ph., Kingsport
Violation: Failed to comply with a lawful order or duly promulgated rule of the Board
Action: License permanently voluntarily retired
- Licensee: Christina A. Ivester, RT, Cleveland
Violation: Guilty of theft of property and guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct to wit: A person commits theft of property if, with intent to deprive the owner of property, the person knowingly obtains or exercises control over the property without the owner's effective consent.
Action: License revoked
**Delayed reporting from September 2021
- Licensee: Justin C. Kickliter, D.Ph., Knoxville
Violation: Failed to conduct an initial opening inventory count as the Pharmacist in charge as required by the Drug Enforcement Agency; served as the Pharmacist in charge without obtaining a waiver from the Board to serve as Pharmacist in charge at two separate pharmacy practice sites at the same time; and failed to immediately notify the Board of the termination of business at one of the two pharmacies.
Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; stay of suspension to be lifted after six months; assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$2,700, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.
- Licensee: Mary Kathleen Kudrey, RT, Cookeville
Violation: Guilty of drug diversion. It is unlawful for any person knowingly or intentionally to acquire or obtain, or attempt to acquire or attempt to obtain, possession of a controlled substance by misrepresentation, fraud, forgery, deception or subterfuge. It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to possess, sell, barter or give away any drug known as legend drugs, as defined in Sec. 53-10-101, except upon the written prescription of a duly licensed physician, certified physician's assistant, nurse authorized pursuant to Sec. 63-6-204 or Sec. 63-9-113, who is rendering service under the supervision, control and responsibility of a licensed physician, and who meets the requirements pursuant to Sec. 63-7-123, a dentist, an optometrist authorized pursuant to Sec. 63-8-102(12), or a veterinarian, and compounded or dispensed by a duly registered pharmacist.
Action: License placed on suspension until undergoing an evaluation approved by the Tennessee Pharmacy Recovery Network and comply with recommendations;
- Licensee: Anthony A. Okonkwo, D. Ph., Murfreesboro
Violation: Alleged to have engaged in inappropriate dispensing
Action: License placed on suspension
- Licensee: Sheri G. Simeon, D.Ph., Jackson
Violation: Guilty of drug diversion. It is unlawful for any person knowingly or intentionally to acquire or obtain, or attempt to acquire or attempt to obtain, possession of a controlled substance by misrepresentation, fraud, forgery, deception or

subterfuge. It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to possess, sell, barter or give away any drug known as legend drugs, as defined in Sec. 53-10-101, except upon the written prescription of a duly licensed physician, certified physician's assistant, nurse authorized pursuant to Sec. 63-6-204 or Sec. 63-9-113, who is rendering service under the supervision, control and responsibility of a licensed physician, and who meets the requirements pursuant to Sec. 63-7-123, a dentist, an optometrist authorized pursuant to Sec. 63-8-102(12), or a veterinarian, and compounded or dispensed by a duly registered pharmacist.

Action: License placed on suspension until undergoing an evaluation approved by the Tennessee Pharmacy Recovery Network and comply with recommendations; after completion of evaluation, suspension stayed and license placed on probation until terms of order are met.

**Delayed reporting from September 2021

Licensee: Jessica M. Waldman, RT, Somerville

Violation: Guilty of drug diversion. It is unlawful for any person to sell knowingly or intentionally to acquire or obtain, or attempt to acquire or attempt to obtain, possession of a controlled substance by misrepresentation, fraud, forgery, deception or subterfuge. It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to possess, sell, barter or give away any drug known as legend drugs, as defined in Sec. 53-10-101, except upon the written prescription of a duly licensed physician, certified physician's assistant, nurse authorized pursuant to Sec. 63-6-204 or Sec. 63-9-113, who is rendering service under the supervision, control and responsibility of a licensed physician, and who meets the requirements pursuant to Sec. 63-7-123, a dentist, an optometrist authorized pursuant to Sec. 63-8-102(12), or a veterinarian, and compounded or dispensed by a duly registered pharmacist.

Action: License voluntarily surrendered, same as revocation.

**Delayed reporting from September 2021

BOARD OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

Licensee: Alicia N. Taylor, PA, Oneida

Violation: Unprofessional, unethical, or dishonorable conduct; violation of any provision of the Physician Assistants Act; conviction of a misdemeanor or felony; and failure to report federal indictment within seven (7) days to the board

Action: License permanently voluntarily surrendered same as permanent revocation; assessed costs not to exceed \$500.00

ABUSE REGISTRY

Name: Robert Biggs

Abuse: Exploitation

Profession: Unlicensed

Name: Heath E. Davis

Abuse: Abuse, Neglect

Profession: Unlicensed

Name: Victoria Punn
Abuse: Neglect
Profession: CNA 127812